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READY TO RISE

Paris Again Under the Shadow of Anarchist Agitation.

Threats of Bloody Vengeance Made by the Reds.

THE GOVERNMENT AROUSED TO THE DANGEROUS SITUATION.

Revelations of the Panama Scandal Grow in Magnitude—Mr. Charles de Lesseps Unloads the Boogie Secrets—South American News Budget—Irish Home Rule Points Discussed—Mexican Matters—General Foreign News.

PARIS, Jan. 7.—The government preparations to suppress disorder in Paris are not based upon any apprehension whatever of a socialist outbreak, but upon the attempts of the extreme socialists to arouse an insurrection. The government does not view even the socialist movement with serious apprehension, and in consequence of its ability to maintain order. Gen. Saussier may be relied upon to give loyal support in the event of an outbreak, and the troops under his command are believed to be equally loyal. The mob of Paris no longer possesses the formidable character which it exhibited in the days of the Commune and of '48. The more dangerous leaders in public agitation are under continued surveillance and the Ministry of the Interior is kept accurately informed of any movement, no matter how slight, in the direction of disorderly demonstration. The espionage in this particular is far more thorough, although less obstructive and offensive, than under the late empire. The police could paralyze a socialist demonstration at any moment by putting their hands upon the leaders, but it is thought best to wait for some open act of lawlessness before taking such a decisive course. It is believed that, in view of the energetic action of the government and the evident readiness to suppress any uprising, the more intelligent leaders of the extremists will succeed in preventing an outbreak that could only result in the severest punishment of all concerned in it. There are, however, a number of anarchists who are willing to risk their lives should they see any prospect of striking a serious blow at the existing order of things.

OUTSPOKEN ANARCHISTS. Two of the most dangerous and intelligent of these are Roussell and Oulin, who, while they have not yet yielded themselves liable to prosecution by any overt act, do not conceal their purpose to destroy social order by any means in their power. Anarchist Oulin says that while it may be painful to shed innocent blood, it must be shed, if the triumph of the cause can be obtained by no other means. These men undoubtedly express the sentiments of a limited, but a savage and desperate faction, and the authorities don't conceal the apprehension that the anarchists may strive to create a panic by some terrible deed of violence. To the extent to which the police are exerting extraordinary vigilance, Roussell is reported as saying:

"We seek to destroy the present state of affairs from top to bottom in order to establish a new regime full of justice, equality and liberty. It is only by equality that the right of existence to everybody can be exercised freely and efficaciously. The poor are driven to starvation and no steps are taken to procure bread for them. Hence they will revolt and make use of every weapon to better their condition. All intelligent minds invariably acknowledge that they have right on their side. When Zola was asked what he would be if the Bourgeois were blown up one of these days, all he could reply was that it would be a superb display of fireworks. We propose to avenge our friends Baudouin, Loeuvel, and others, who have been treated worse than savage beasts, to say nothing of the assassinations of Ravachol and other victims of the Bourgeois."

PANAMA SCANDAL. The Panama scandal continues to grow in magnitude, and although the examinations are in secret, enough leaks out to keep up public interest and excitement to the highest strain. There is now no doubt that M. Charles de Lesseps has told the government everything he knows, and that then he completed his statement to M. Franguet, who expressed himself as deeply relieved. He said that he had felt for years that he was bearing a burden of suspicion which ought to be taken off his shoulders. The single desire of his father and of himself had been to bring the Panama canal enterprise to a successful conclusion, but blackmailers had taken them by the throat, and the Panama Co. had been compelled to buy the support and aid which, in the interest of the good name of France and for the benefit of thousands of French investors, ought to have been given freely, and as a matter of public duty. Now that he had told the truth, he said, he felt it as if a great weight had been lifted from his mind and he hoped that the people of France would place the responsibility where it belongs.

M. Marus Fontaine followed the example of M. de Lesseps in making a frank and complete statement of Panama canal affairs. According to the *Matin* to-day, the arrest of M. Blondin was due to an avowal of M. Fontaine to the effect that Blondin had acted as a go-between in the corruption of Minister Balthus. Blondin, the *Matin* says, has confessed to having cashed four checks on Balthus's account, amounting to 1,000,000 francs. This confession of Blondin agreed with and was confirmed by the statement of M. Fontaine. Ex-Minister Balthus, however, persists in denying the charges of corruption. The public are not surprised at the allegations in regard to the ex-Minister, and there is a strong feeling in favor of a thorough investigation of the Ministry of Public Works, apart from the Panama scandal.

M. Fontaine has expressed an earnest desire to resume work on his "Histoire Universelle," in which he was interrupted by his arrest. M. Fontaine was accustomed to get up at 6 o'clock every morning to work upon this history, of which several volumes have already been published. He is to be sentenced to imprisonment as a result of the proceedings against him, he will undoubtedly request permission to continue the task in prison.

MINISTER PHELPS.

DENIAL THAT HIS THANKSGIVING SPEECH WAS OFFENSIVE. LONDON, Jan. 7.—The story sent out from Berlin alleging that Hon. William Walter Phelps, American Minister, spoke indiscreetly on Thanksgiving Day is an injustice to that gentleman. The facts are ascertained to be these: That the speech was largely re-

NEAR THE END

The Gallows Has No Terrors for Chesterton's Murderers.

Their Time Divided Between Laughter and Prayer.

LAST WEEK ON EARTH OF DR. J. E. HILL'S ASSASSINS.

Weird Songs, Fervent Supplications, Horse Play and Bible Reading Alternate With the Condemned Men-To Be Hanged Next Friday—Shoplifters Arrested—Letter-Box Baited—Charges Against an Asylum Official—Crime News.

CHESTERTON, Md., Jan. 7.—Eight negroes, ranging in color from a light tan to a dead black, are crowded in the county jail here. They are to be hanged next Friday for the murder of Dr. J. E. Hill. Nevertheless a jollier aggregation of Ham's descendants than they are would be difficult to find. The fact that in less than one week, Providence or the Governor not interfering, they are to be dropped into eternity doesn't seem to disturb them. They shout and sing and laugh and joke about the coming event as though it were a "possum dinner." Some of them show slight signs of depression at odd intervals, but the majority rather seem to feel proud that they are to take part in so notable a performance.

Fletcher Williams and "Buck" Brooks suik at times, but the others are always in good humor. Williams and Brooks are more directly concerned in the murder than their companions, for it was the knife thrust by the former and the cruel blow with a stone by the latter that caused the death of Dr. Hill. The condemned men make merry, just as they sang and danced and "patted Juba" on the bridge that dark night in April when they committed the murder. The men occupy ground floor cells in the county jail. Among the oldest, has a cell to himself. Williams and Brooks have a cell each. They are shackled about the feet. In the larger, steel-lined murderers' cell are Charles Sumner, Morry, Josh Brainerd and Frisby Comery, three of the boys, and in another small cell are Lewis Benson and Henry Hurst. In front of the cells is a corridor about eight feet wide, lighted at each end by a heavily grained window, and at one end is the door, through which they will walk to the gallows next Friday. Each morning the prisoners are allowed to go into the corridor for exercise, at one end of the corridor is a small room, the boys make this a time for an old-fashioned romp if no one except the jailers happen to be by. They run up and down the corridor, wrestling and tripping each other, and indulge in a variety of the game of tag, in which they run around on all fours and endeavor to "plumb" each other. The men in their "plumb" hours" sit on the stove, smoke and chat with the jailers. Then they have intervals of piety. The men and boys start to praying and singing to one starts a hymn in a low minor key and sings for some time alone. Then, at the end of the row, the men sing in chorus, and another take up either the air or the refrain until all, or nearly all, are singing. Then one, usually either Brown or Brainerd, begins a fervid prayer. These two men have deep, rich voices, and they ejaculate a few words of the prayer at a time, singing and shouting, and at long intervals of the hymn. The men do not sing in chorus, but seem to chant, each one on his own account, though the whole makes harmony. The voices range from the high tenor of Comery to the deep bass of Williams. They gradually work themselves into almost frenzied shouting and singing, and at the top of their voices. Sometimes they keep their devotions up two or three hours in the morning, only stopping from sheer exhaustion.

Moses Brown reads the Bible a good deal. Nearly all read the Bible. Moses Brown reads it much of the time in daylight and rejoices because his cell is lighted by the sun, where he has more light and can read longer than the other prisoners. He seldom sings and is a joker, but is the best professional singer in the jail. He is considered the worst character of the lot. His face is almost bestial in appearance. Sheriff Sumner has summoned 20 men to protect the jail from the expected crowd, and he has ordered each man to bring a gun. The first men summoned were George Alfred Pearce, one of the counsel of the condemned men, who says he will serve.

GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

POINTS OF THE BRITISH HOME RULE BILL DISCUSSED. LONDON, Jan. 7.—The *Journal* discusses in its latest issue five points of the probable Irish home rule bill. It says that with regard to the bill, the Government will serve to Parliament for a certain time the right of legislation. Regarding the intention of the Irish members at Westminster, it is unlikely that the Government will meet the question by adopting Mr. Parnell's suggestion to touch it until a question has been settled. Appointed judges will be retained by the Government for the fixed term of five years, which term will be also fixed for complete transformation of the bill into a law. It is hoped that England will deal liberally with the Irish and thus contribute to the Irish revenue, as Ireland will have no power to impose protective duties. The article is believed to have been "inspired" by a member of the Government or by some one near to Mr. Gladstone.

FRANCE ASKED TO EXPLAIN.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 7.—The Belgian Government has asked France whether the rejection of the proposed commercial treaty with Switzerland, to which the French Chamber of Deputies recently refused to consent, implies a similar refusal on the part of France to treat liberally with the Swiss. The single reply from France the Belgian Government is vigorously pushing commercial negotiations with other European countries and also with the United States.

BORROWING FROM THE ROTHSCHILDS.

BUDA PEST, Jan. 7.—The *Ungarische Post* says that the Hungarian Government has agreed with the Rothschilds by the terms of which the latter will take at 91 1/2, 000,000 crowns worth of 4 per cent rentes that will be paid to the bank to replace the gold and silver certificates of the Hungarian Government.

BERNHARDT'S SON IS A FIGHTER.

PARIS, Jan. 7.—Maurice Bernhardt, son of the actress Sarah Bernhardt, has challenged the editor of the periodical *Le Parisien*, on account of the publication of an article which, Maurice asserts, reflects slanderously upon his mother.

NINE MEN MISSING.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The British steamer *Fernside*, from Odessa, Dec. 12, for Christiana, has been wrecked five miles from Luvig. The crew left the vessel in the small boats. The captain, and eight men, who were in one of the boats, are missing.

AUTHORITIES CLASH.

Helena's Convict Camp's Pest Breeding Spot. HELENA, Ark., Dec. 7.—Warden Dunlap and his crew of convicts finished their work here yesterday and left this morning for Little Rock. Yesterday afternoon Chief of Police Clancy, who is the executive officer of the Municipal Board of Health, notified Warden Dunlap to place the convict camp in good sanitary condition before leaving here. Mr. Dunlap failed to have this done and Chief Clancy has telegraphed lessee Apperson in regard to the matter. If he does not hear from him promptly he will go to the Little Rock, arrest Warden Dunlap and prosecute him for a violation of the sanitary regulations of the city. Dr. J. L. Williams left this morning for Memphis, having completed his investigation here. He found nothing to indicate the presence of cholera.

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FORGED SIGNATURES.

The Late Senator McDonald's Will Is Spurious. CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 7.—In a published interview Henry L. Tamm, a local microscopist and expert in handwriting, says that the signatures on the will of the late Senator McDonald of Indiana are forgeries. "That is the conclusion I have reached after careful study and comparison," said he. "The lawyers on both sides know this and that I shall so testify. The process by which I have arrived at this belief and my reasons for it I will explain in court. The imitation is a clever one. The forger caught Senator McDonald's pen, and after a study of holding a pen. He used a study and wrote on the side of it. The writer of the signatures was a very much younger person than Senator McDonald. That is perfectly true. The signatures came up for trial Jan. 25, at Noblesville, Ind., where it was taken on a change of venue from Indianapolis.

FAILURES.

Another Lebanon Business House Makes an Assignment. LEBANON, Mo., Jan. 7.—The excitement yesterday evening over the closing of the large dry goods establishment of the firm of Noel & Co., composed of W. D. Noel of the city and Hamilton Daughday of St. Louis, by attaching creditors, had only partially subsided when morning circles were again startled this morning by the voluntary assignment of J. W. Scott, the proprietor of the New York store in this city, to W. H. Owen, President of the Bank of Lebanon. The property assigned is valued at \$25,000, and the liabilities amount to about \$25,000. Clifton & Co., and Gibbs of New York are the principal creditors.

MISSOURIANS AT THE METROPOLIS.

New York, Jan. 7.—Following were registered to-day from Missouri: St. Louis—F. M. Elms, William Hill, H. C. and W. Lewis, Gilespie House, W. McCabe, Gilespie House; T. C. Olin, Astor House; L. Gifford, St. Cloud Hotel; A. H. Hager, Broadway Central. Kansas City—M. McDonald, Astor; F. G. Harris, St. James Hotel.

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TIME SMOOTHING AWAY THE RECENT ASPERITY OF DISCUSSION.

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NO MORE POND ICE.

The Health Commissioner Can Refuse to Issue Permits.

Judge Valliant Refuses to Grant an Injunction Against Dr. Brennan.

A Decision of Importance in Favor of the Health Department—Breckenridge Jones' Appointment as Receiver of the Iron Hall Confirmed by Judge Klein, Who Gives Him Broad Powers.

Judge Valliant refused this morning to grant the writ of mandamus against Health Commissioner Brennan, which was applied for yesterday afternoon by Louis Rohlfing. The object of the writ was to compel the Health Commissioner to grant Rohlfing a permit to cut ice on a pond in the northwest corner of the city for purposes, as he alleged, of cooling wine in the vaults of a wine company. Rohlfing stated that he had made the application for the permit in due form, and had presented a bond in the sum of \$2,000 duly approved by the Mayor, as provided by law, and the Health Commissioner had refused the permit.

Judge Valliant, in refusing to grant the writ, said that under the ordinance it was a discretionary matter with the Health Commissioner whether he would grant permits of the kind, and it was not the province of the court to interfere unduly with that discretionary power. On one occasion he now pending the Municipal Assembly to prohibit ice cutting altogether from the city ponds and sloughs, as it is thought this ice may be used for the purpose of spreading disease in the summer months. City Counselor Marshall has informed Health Commissioner Brennan that he is discretionary with him to grant or refuse permits, and Dr. Brennan is exercising his authority for the sanitary interests of the city.

An Iron Hall Decision.

An important decree was rendered by Judge Klein in the case of *Iron Hall*, in which Breckenridge Jones was appointed receiver of the order for the State of Missouri.

The decree proceeds to confirm the appointment as receiver and authorizes Mr. Jones to take into his possession and hold all the property of the order, including the order itself, and to deliver the same to the receiver of the order, and to collect from all agents, attorneys, branches and bankers of the order all moneys, claims, demands, etc., of every description held by them for the order.

All the officers, agents and employees of the order in this state are ordered to pay over to the receiver all funds belonging to it, and also to deliver to him all papers and documents relating to the order, and to pay over to him under penalty of being reported to the court, in case of refusal, for contempt, and they are restrained from this date from paying out any money for any purpose whatever.

The receiver is further ordered to hold all property and funds so collected for the benefit of the creditors of the order and to send to each and every creditor whose name and address he can obtain, a blank form of affidavit, to be filled out and returned to him, setting forth the nature and amount of the claim. He is also to publish in four daily St. Louis papers, two English and two German, and in two similar papers in Kansas City, one English paper in Hannibal, Missouri, and one in Springfield, Mo., a daily notice for one month giving notice that he will hear and adjust all claims against the order on or before Aug. 1, 1893. He is finally ordered to make a full report of all his transactions up to date at the February term of the court, and such success as he may attain until he is discharged.

Court Notes.

Mrs. Jessie Campbell, who obtained a decree of divorce from her husband, Dr. Campbell, the Vandewater avenue dentist, has been granted an order of alimony for \$50 per month, or for \$2,500 in gross, at the option of her husband. The divorce was granted last Wednesday in Judge Valliant's court.

Francis Nohl sued out an attachment to-day against Judge Valliant, and the latter is alleged to be due on account. The defendant resides in another state.

The First National Bank of Marshall, Tex., brought suit to-day against Thomas H. Garrett to recover \$2,638.42, alleged to be due on note.

The Central Mining Co. increased its capital stock to-day from \$250,000 to \$500,000. The assets are placed at \$200,000 and the liabilities at nothing.

Recorder of Deeds Hobbs is laid up at home with a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Dr. R. T. Etward used Edna Diamond to-day for \$50 for professional services alleged to have been rendered.

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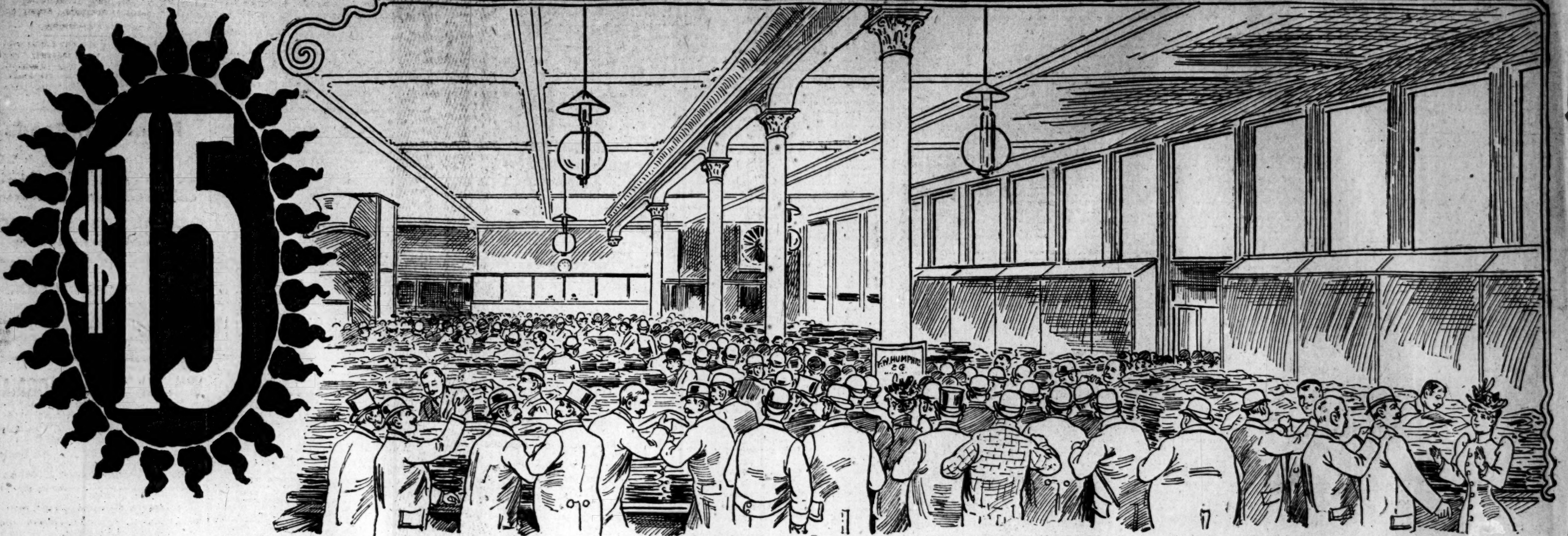
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HUMPHREY'S, BROADWAY and PINE.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 7, 1893.

The indications for St. Louis for today are at Light snow; stationary temperature.



It was our artist's thought (when he made the above sketch) to convey, BY MEANS OF HIS PEN, TO THE MANY READERS OF OUR ANNOUNCEMENTS, SOME SLIGHT IDEA OF THE MAGNITUDE OF OUR GREAT SPECIAL SALE OF MEN'S

\$25 and \$30 Suits, Overcoats and Ulsters for \$15!

Commenced Thursday morning and still in progress in our Men's Clothing Room, on first floor. We are confident that the many who have been jostled about in the great but good-natured crowd of buyers will say to their inquiring friends that our artist has been entirely too modest, for never in the history of the clothing trade has there been such a great sale as this one, where values have been so disregarded in the making of a price on the Newest and Best of Clothing. Those who have yet to buy had ought to come to-day, while many of the most desirable garments are to be had. Long Ulsters, Single and Double-breasted Kersey, Melton and Cheviot Overcoats, Chinchillas, Plain and Fur Beavers, all go, alongside of the best and most desirable Single and Double-breasted Sack and Frock Suits, for.....

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School Board Affairs.

The Building Committee of the School Board yesterday afternoon examined the elevators of the new Board of Education building. The committee subsequently dismissed the charges of insolence to teachers preferred against the janitor of the Penrose School. The contract for repairing electric push bells was awarded to John Quinn for \$89. The board fixed the salary of the fireman of the new building at \$90, and decided to employ an expert to make a careful examination of the elevators before accepting them.

The Original Package

In which Highland Evaporated Cream is put up preserves all the purity and delicious properties of milk until it reaches the consumer. It serves as an absolute protection against taints and adulterations.

Waterson's Lecture.

Hon. Henry Waterson lectured last night at Entertainment hall on "Money and Morals." He said that the desire for money was the prominent characteristic of American civilization, and that if anything could wreck the Government it was this inordinate passion for gain. The spirit of freedom in all things would eventually overcome the threatening lust for wealth and the nation would continue to grow inseparably bound together.

Ask your druggist for Cudahy's Rex Brand Fluid Beef. He's sure to keep it, because the best trade demands it.

RELIGIOUS NEWS.

Dr. Snyder Opposed to Closing the World's Fair on Sunday.

Rev. Dr. John Snyder, pastor of the Church of the Messiah, Garrison avenue and Locust street, will have for the subject of his sermon to-morrow, "Why should the Columbia Exposition Be Open on Sunday?" Dr. Snyder is opposed to Sunday closing and he is anxious to reach those who signed the Sunday-closing petitions. This question is causing a great deal of discussion in religious circles, and since Bishop Potter of New York and Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore came out in favor of opening the exposition on Sunday the controversy has been marked by much warmth.

Y. M. C. A. Announcements.

Rev. J. L. Parsons, D. D., pastor First Christian Church, will open a special course of addresses to young men, entitled, "Traps for Men," at the Central Branch Y. M. C. A., Pine and Twenty-ninth streets, to-morrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. He will be followed on the 10th by Rev. J. L. Sewall, pastor Central Congregational Church, in an address on "Financial Traps, a Straight Talk on Gambling," and on the 22d inst., by Rev. Francis L. Ferguson, pastor West Presbyterian Church, in one on "Printed Traps, or Bad Literature," the closing address being given by Rev. W. H. L. Smith, D. D., pastor Third Baptist Church, on "Infidelity's Traps, or the Cheap Nostrums of Secularism." All young men are cordially invited.

Religious Notes.

Rabbi Sale will lecture to-morrow at Chatsworth Hall on "Single Tax and Socialism." Rev. Wm. Johnson will preach to-morrow morning and evening in People's Tabernacle Church. Twenty-third street and Clark avenue. Subject for morning, "The Outpouring of God's Spirit," evening, "Conviction for Sin." Mr. Johnson will sing a solo at the evening service.

The Board of Managers of the St. Louis Protestant Orphan Asylum at Webster decided to thank the generous friends who filled paper bags with Christmas gifts, besides sending many other most acceptable articles for the use of the institution.

The regular services will be held at Temple Shalom, to-morrow at 11 a. m. The subject of the lecture by Dr. Sale will be: "The Men of the Future."

streets, Rabbi Harrison will lecture to-morrow at 11 a. m., on "The Dead Poets of the Past Year." A meeting of the W. C. T. U. is being held at Odd Fellows' Hall, Ninth and Olive streets, this afternoon. The Central W. C. T. U. presented a fine programme at 1:30 p. m., and at 8 o'clock the District Committee met. A special devotional meeting will be held, after which the business meeting will take place. Plans will be made for the parliamentary dinner to be given Feb. 6, 7 and 8 at the Church of the Messiah, Garrison avenue and Locust street.

Seventy-Five Dollars Found by Buying a piano of any grade on easy payments at Koerber's, 1108 Olive. Pianos for rent.

THE BEER WAR.

No Further Cut in Prices Has Been Made—"Four for Five."

According to Mr. Ellis Wainwright the situation as far as the price of beer is concerned is unchanged, and prices have not been discussed at the St. Louis Brewing Association headquarters in the past twenty-four hours. Mr. Wainwright does not admit that there is a war, and refuses to consider for an instant the talk and boasting of the rival concerns. He rivals they are, Mr. Wainwright says that he and his associates are conducting a decent, well-regulated business, and do not go around in bar-rooms talking about it. They are attending strictly to their own business, and such meetings as occur from day to day are on business such as would occupy any business men, in the way of contracts of all kinds from hops and barley to machinery and buildings.

In the meantime beer in many places can be had at the rate of four glasses for five cents, and each and every factor in the fight is holding its own trade and letting that of others alone.

OFFICEMEN THE CHAMPIONS.

The Final Game of the Whist Match Won by Them.

The third and last game of the duplicate whist match between the Officers' Club and the Once a Week Club took place in the rooms of the former organization. The match was very closely contested, so closely that it may be said to have been practically a draw, the officers gaining but five points in thirty-two hands. Since the beginning of the match the representatives of the Once a Week Club have shown marked improvement. The first game they lost by a score of twenty-one points. At the second meeting they were successful, winning by a score of four points. Last night's score leaves the officers with a lead of twenty-two points. It is probable that another match will be arranged.

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FOURTH STREET AGAIN VISITED.

The Establishment of the J. H. Crane Furniture Co. Badly Damaged by Fire.

Shortly after 1 o'clock this morning an alarm of fire was sounded from the corner of Third street and Washington avenue, and at the same moment that he rang the alarm Officer Martin Delaney yelled to the watchman at No. 23 engine-house, a few steps to the south on Third street. The response to the alarm was prompt, and in a moment the streams were playing on the building at the southeast corner of Fourth and St. Charles streets, just taken by the J. H. Crane Furniture Co. The firm had just moved in their stock, and the painters and glaziers were still at work. The boarding of the first floor of the store had let down at the rear end, carrying with it a mass of mattresses and light furniture. The entire street floor is a wreck, and will have to be entirely replaced. The second floor was badly damaged by smoke and water, and is a sorry-looking sight, and most of the stock stored there is ruined. The fire started in the rear of the basement, the cause being unknown, and worked well forward among the packing cases and furniture. After 8 o'clock, engines Nos. 14 and 23 were pumping out of the cellars the water they had pumped in during the fire.

Mr. H. F. Chaik of the Crane firm estimated the loss of furniture at about \$60,000, partially insured, but as to the exact amount he could not say, as so many changes had been made lately. The building, which belongs to the Allen estate, was insured for \$53,000 in the following companies, as furnished by Whipple's report and revised by E. H. Markham & Co.: Providence of Washington, \$1,000; Niagara, \$1,000; National of Hartford, \$2,000; Greenwich, \$2,000; Sun Mutual of New York, \$2,000; National, \$2,000; London & Lancashire, \$2,000; Manchester, \$2,000; Firemen's of Boston, \$1,500; London & Lancashire, \$2,000; Orient of Hartford, \$2,000; Mechanics of Philadelphia, Liverpool, London and Globe, \$2,000.

It is likely that this fire will delay the business of the Crane firm for some time now.

Take Bromo-Seltzer for insomnia before retiring—10c a bottle.

Pleads His Minority.

A case involving an interesting point in commercial law was tried before Justice Spaulding yesterday afternoon. T. J. Burke, a coal dealer, sued L. E. Melner of the Melner Coal Co., whose office is in the Commercial Building, for \$290 for value received. Melner acknowledged the debt, but refused to liquidate it on the ground that he had not attained his majority and that in the eye of the law he could not be held responsible for any debts contracted. His mother testified that her son was not of legal age and Justice Spaulding took the case under advisement. While as yet a decision has not been rendered, the plaintiff justly secure judgment against Melner, Justice

Spaulding being convinced that he cannot hold a minor responsible for any contract. It is alleged that Melner has made it a practice to contract debts and then avoid payment by pleading the illegality on account of his age.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

Proceedings of the Council and House Last Evening.

The City Council met last night with all the members present except Mr. James. The Mayor reported having signed the Taylor avenue, the Manchester road and Compton Heights railway bills.

The bill for vacating part of McKee avenue was vetoed because it would shut off the street connections of several concerns in that section.

The Board of Public Improvements submitted a bill for the new Clark avenue bridge this morning to approve Mr. Lewis' bond as City Treasurer.

The Union Depot Railroad bill was ordered engrossed and the sprinkling bill passed. The City Central Railway bill was taken up, discussed and a number of amendments added to it, chiefly in the line of the proposed route. It was then ordered to engrossment. After approving two expense bills incurred in the Forester case, the Council adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning to approve Mr. Lewis' bond as City Treasurer, should he be ready to present it.

The Mayor reported that he had signed several public improvement bills, and the bill for the Clark avenue bridge was submitted by the Board of Public Improvements.

New bills were introduced to pay \$9,000 damages for the opening of Potomac street from Ohio to Compton avenues; to authorize Louis Ober to erect a drinking fountain; for \$200 for the relief of Mike Godfrey and to vacate Ohio avenue between Wyandotte and Dakota streets. Adjourned until Tuesday.

A COLD WAVE.

The Thermometer Will Drop Fifteen or Twenty Degrees by To-morrow.

The cold wave was isolated to-day. The Weather Bureau predictions indicating a fall of from 15 to 30 deg. by to-morrow morning, with strong northwest winds. It is not unlikely that a considerable rise in the thermometer will take place between to-morrow morning and to-morrow evening. Some snow may fall, but it is not expected that the amount will fall.

TREASURER LEWIS' BOND APPROVED.

Garrard Strode Appointed as First Assistant—Mr. Lewis Takes Charge.

The Council met this morning at 10:30 o'clock in special session to consider the bond of Matron D. Lewis, the newly elected City Treasurer. All the members were present with the exception of Messrs. Arnstein, Meier and James. When the meeting was called the Mayor's messenger presented Mr. Lewis' bond and it was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, who reported it favorably after a short discussion. The bondsmen are Wm. H. Thompson of the Bank of Commerce, August Geiner, the Title Investigator and Gustavus Niemann his partner, John A. Meier the tailor, George W. Keeley the real estate agent and Jephtha H. Simpson capitalist. The assessed valuation of the bond is \$881.00, which is nearly \$60,000 more than the law requires. The committee's report was unanimously adopted, and the Council adjourned until next Tuesday.

Mr. Lewis assumed charge of his office at once, going from the Council Chamber to the Treasurer's office. He announces the appointment of Garrard Strode as his first assistant. Messrs. John Dunn and Fred Spies, the assistants, were reappointed. Mr. Strode was formerly a clerk in the Probate Court.

INAUGURATION OF GOV.-ELECT STONE, JAN. 9.

For this occasion the Missouri Pacific Railway and Iron Mountain Route have named a rate of one fare for the round trip from points on their lines in Missouri. Tickets on sale Jan. 8 and 9, good to return on the 10th.

Another Tramp Freak.

LAREDO, Tex., Jan. 7.—Chris Miller, the pencil-shower who is undertaking to circumnavigate the boundary line of the United States on foot and unarmed, arrived in this

city last night from Brownsville, having traversed 200 miles of the Rio Grande border and having passed through the section where the outlaws have their rendezvous. He claims to have been held a prisoner by them for several days.

FEDERAL COURT NOTES.

Charged With Using the Mails for Fraudulent Purposes.

In the United States District Court the trial of the case of the United States against C. C. Dennis and James Berry was continued. The defendants are accused of having written letters to persons owning property in Southwest Missouri, stating that certain taxes were due, and offering to pay them if the amount were remitted. It is alleged that they converted the money to their own uses. Two indictments were found, one implicating Dennis alone and the other being found jointly against him and Berry. The trial on the first suit resulted in a disagreement of the jury.

An appeal was filed in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals by John E. Horan against the St. Louis, Arkansas & Texas Railroad. The plaintiff claimed that in a wreck on the road he was injured to the extent of \$25,000, and that the accident was due to the carelessness of the company's employees. The defendant entered a demurrer which was sustained by the lower court, and from this decision an appeal was taken.

Exceptions were filed to certain allowances in the report of Edgar A. Ellis, receiver of the National Bank of the State of Missouri, and the matter was referred to Judge T. J. Ford.

Had Two Pairs of Shoes.

Wm. Wilson, colored was arrested about 9 o'clock this morning by Officer O'Brien while endeavoring to dispose of two pairs of new shoes at the junk shop at 623 Morgan street. Wilson was unable to explain how the shoes came into his possession and was locked up at the Third District Station pending an investigation.

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